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## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No: 10/799,136 X  
Filed: 03/12/2004  
Title: Cabinet connector  
Applicant: Rouwhorst, Kevin  
Group: 3637  
Examiner: Hansen, James Orville

Atty. Docket: Rouwhorst PIUS1

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

## RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL LETTER

A response to the office action dated November 2, 2004, is enclosed.

## Request for Extension of Time

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):

	Fcc	Small Entity Fcc		
One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))		\$120	\$60	\$60
Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))		\$450	\$225	\$
Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))		\$1020	\$510	\$
Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))		\$1590	\$795	\$
Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))		\$2160	\$1080	\$

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 22-0257.

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I hereby certify that this correspondence and the attached Response A are being transmitted to the UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE by facsimile directed to the attention of Examiner James O. Hansen at facsimile number 703-872-9306 on March 2, 2005.

Respectfully submitted,

Kevin Rouwhorst

Dated: 3/2/05

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